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World Harmony Run Peace Torch Ceremony to Stop in Sanford, May 5, 2014

The Peace Run is a global torch relay that seeks to promote international friendship and understanding by passing a flaming torch from hand to hand, transcending political and cultural boundaries.

On Monday, May 5 at 12:00 p.m., Mayor Jeff Triplett will receive the peace torch outside City Hall, 300 N. Park Ave. Sanford, in celebration of the arrival of the Peace run.

The Run was founded in 1987 by Sri Chinmoy who inspired millions all over the world to take a step for harmony and a better world. Every second year the Peace Run takes place in more than 140 nations on six continents sharing the message that world harmony starts in the heart of each individual and from there spreads to the family, community and the world at large.

The Peace Run is a true grassroots event that touches the lives of millions of people along its route. The runners visit schools, community groups, running clubs, and local and national government organizations.

Mayor Jeff Triplett will welcome the peace torch and talk about the importance of peace in our community. Mayor Triplett will also give a proclamation and read a congratulatory letter and students plan to read short passages of peace by founder Sri Chinmoy in celebration of the Peace Run.

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